IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 10/552,159 Confirmation No.: 9207

Applicant : Daksh SADARANGANI et al.

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Title : DNA ANALYSIS SYSTEM

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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

Sir:

This is in response to the Notification of Missing Requirements dated September 18, 2006, in the above-identified application.

1. Declaration and Power of Attorney:

Enclosed. This application was filed without an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

2. Assignment:

An assignment of the invention to **Auckland Uniservices Limited** and a PTO Form-1595, Recordation Form Cover Sheet are filed concurrently under separate cover.

3. Applicants petition for an extension of time, the fees for which are set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a), for the total number of months checked below:

| Total Months Requested | Fee for Extension | Fee for Small Entity | |
|------------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--|
| one month | \$ 120.00 | \$ 60.00 | |
| two month | \$ 450.00 | \$ 225.00 | |
| three month | \$1,020.00 | \$ 510.00 | |
| fourth month | \$1,590.00 | \$ 795.00 | |
| five month | \$2,160.00 | \$1,080.00 | |

Extension of time fee due with this request: \$ 120.00 If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a Petition therefore.

4. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. § 1.16):

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| | Number Filed | Number Extra | at Rate of | Basic Fee Utility \$300.00 (Paid on Oct. 11, 2005) | |
| Total Claims (37 C.F.R. §1.16(c)) | 57 - 57 = | 0 | \$ 50/ 25 each = | +\$ | .00 |
| Independent (Claims 37 C.F.R. §1.16(b)) | 8 - 8= | 0 | \$200/100 each = | +\$ | .00 |
| Declaration Surcharge under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e) \$130/65 | | | | \$ | 130.00 |
| Multiple Claim Fee \$360/180 | | | | \$ | |
| One Month Extension of Time | | | | \$ | 120.00 |
| Utility Search Fee (Paid on Oct. 11, 2005) | | | | \$ | .00 |
| Utility Examination Fee (Paid on Oct. 11, 2 | 2005) | | | \$ | .00 |
| Utility Application Size Fee \$250 (for each | additional 50 sl | neets that exce | eds 100 sheets) | | - |
| | | | TOTAL = | \$ | 250.00 |
| | | Minu | s ½ for Small Entity | \$ | .00 |
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| | 5. | Fee Pay | ayment: | | |
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| | | \boxtimes | A check in the amount of \$250.00 is enclosed for fees noted above | | |
| | | | Authorization is given to charge \$ to Deposit Account 50-1349 for the fees due as specified above. | | |
| 6. | | | Except for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1349. This paragraph is intended to be a CONSTRUCTIVE PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3) | | |
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| 7. | Other: | Part 2 – Notice to File Missing Par Information Disclosure Statement PTO-1449, Int'l Search Report do Preliminary Amendment Claim for Priority Certified copy of Priority Document Sequence Listing | | | |
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| If there are any questions regarding the above-captioned patent application, please contact applicant's representative at the number given below. | | | | | |
| | | | Respectfully submitted, | | |
| | | | HOGAN & HARTSON LLP | | |
| Dated: | Decem | nber 8, 2006 | By: William J. Slaven W. Celine Jimenez Crowson | | |
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PRIORITY DATE

04/08/2003

NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 10/11/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 10/11/2005
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 10/11/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 10/11/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 10/11/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 10/11/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 10/11/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 10/11/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity:

• \$130 Surcharge.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

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